

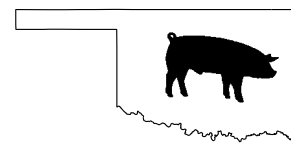


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HOGS & PIGS

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OKLAHOMA HOG INVENTORY DOWN 2 PERCENT FROM LAST YEAR

OKLAHOMA: Oklahoma's inventory of all hogs and pigs on June 1, 2005, was estimated at 2,400,000 head, down 1 percent from March 1, 2005, and down 2 percent from June 1, 2004. The breeding inventory of 360,000 head was up 3 percent from last year. Market hog inventory was down 3 percent from the previous year and totaled 2,040,000 head. The weight group breakdown consisted of 960,000 pigs in the under 60 pound group; 330,000 in the 60-119 pound group; 250,000 in the 120-179 pound group; and 500,000 pigs in the 180 pound plus group.

The March - May 2005 pig crop totaled 1,691,000 head, up 1 percent from last year, and 1 percent above last quarter. The 190,000 sows farrowed were unchanged from the number farrowed during the previous quarter.

UNITED STATES: U.S. inventory of all hogs and pigs on June 1, 2005, was 60.8 million head. This was up 2 percent from March 1, 2005, and up slightly from June 1, 2004. Breeding inventory, at 5.98 million head, was up 1 percent from both June 1, 2004, and last quarter. Market hog inventory, at 54.8 million head, was up slightly from last year, and up 2 percent from last quarter.

The March - May 2005 U.S. pig crop, at 25.9 million head, was up 1 percent from both 2004 and 2003. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 2.87 million head, unchanged from last year. The sows farrowed during this quarter represented 48 percent of the breeding herd. The average pigs saved per litter was 9.02 for the period March 2005 - May 2005, compared to 8.93 last year. Pigs saved per litter by size of operation ranged from 7.50 for operations with 1-99 hogs to 9.10 for operations with more than 5,000 hogs and pigs.

HOGS & PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBER BY CLASS & WEIGHT GROUP-OKLAHOMA & U.S. 2004 - 2005 1/

DATE	BREEDING	MARKET	TOTAL	MARKET HOGS & PIGS BY WEIGHT GROUPS			
				Under 60 Lbs.	60 - 119 Lbs.	120 - 179 Lbs.	180 Lbs. +
1,000 HEAD							
OKLAHOMA							
June 1, 2004	350	2,100	2,450	980	330	310	480
September 1, 2004	360	2,100	2,460	1,000	370	250	480
December 1, 2004	360	2,030	2,390	970	340	230	490
March 1, 2005	360	2,060	2,420	980	350	260	470
June 1, 2005	360	2,040	2,400	960	330	250	500
U. S.							
June 1, 2004	5,937	54,760	60,698	20,292	13,500	11,256	9,714
September 1, 2004	5,962	55,556	61,519	20,729	13,613	11,235	9,981
December 1, 2004	5,969	55,005	60,975	19,980	13,439	11,186	10,401
March 1, 2005	5,941	53,957	59,899	19,817	13,137	11,360	9,644
June 1, 2005	5,977	54,834	60,812	20,223	13,456	11,343	9,813

1/ May not add due to rounding.

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FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, PIG CROP, AND PIGS PER LITTER, 2003 - 2005 1/

	SOWS FARROWING			PIGS PER LITTER			PIG CROP		
	2003	2004	2005 ²	2003	2004	2005	2003	2004	2005
	1,000 Head			Head			1,000 Head		
OKLAHOMA									
Dec-Feb ³	170	185	190	8.80	8.60	8.80	1,496	1,591	1,672
Mar-May	175	190	190	8.90	8.80	8.90	1,558	1,672	1,691
Jun-Aug	185	195	190	9.00	9.00		1,665	1,755	
Sep-Nov	185	190	190	8.70	8.90		1,610	1,691	
U. S.									
Dec-Feb ³	2,769	2,836	2,851	8.81	8.85	8.94	24,400	25,105	25,489
Mar-May	2,886	2,870	2,870	8.88	8.93	9.02	25,629	25,633	25,884
Jun-Aug	2,918	2,905	2,902	8.90	9.01		25,974	26,162	
Sep-Nov	2,856	2,888	2,880	8.93	8.96		25,488	25,558	

1/ Year relates to when quarter ends.

2/ Intentions for March - May and June - August.

3/ December preceding year.